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of the mountain stills of North Carolina, and

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## Remnants and Short Pieces of Silks.

The desirable Silks of the season-or they wouldn't be on the remnant tables.

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Plenty of waist lengths from among these Pretty Silks.

## Women's All-Linen Handkerchiefs

The manufacturer calls them "seconds." You'll hardly be able to tell why, as the defects are barely noticeable.

123/26 Sheer Linen Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in white, also black and white for mounting, 10c 25c value in Linen Embroidered Chiefs—as light as a cobweb; fifty patandkerchiefs, nearly 100 121/2c terns; all styles of embroidery— 25c a regular 50c value for............ 25c

mond Paper Company in Richmond yes-terday. He had his hand caught in a piece of machinery and two fingers were

COMMITTEES NAMED.

Important Bodies Appointed By

Council Presidents. Messrs, Wm, M. Turpin, president of the Board of Aldermen, and Robert Lee Pe-

ters, president of the Common Council,

Jno, B. Minor
On Enactment of Laws by the Legislature—To Prevent the City Drinking Water
from Being Polluted: From the Common
Council—Ro. Le. Masurer, chairman; Morgan R. Mills, H. R. Pollard, Jr.; from the
Board of Aldermen—Jno, Mann, Jr., W.
H. Adams.

TOUCHED LIVE WIRE.

Mr. Webber Falls From Top of

Telephone Pole.

Telephone Pole.

While at work with some telephone wires at the top of a pole near Sycaniore and Cary Streets yesterday afternoon, Grover C. Webber, an employe of the Southern Bell Telephone Co., touched a charged wire and was shocked so that he lost his hold and fell to the ground. His right wrist was broken and he was bruised about the head and shoulders. The ambulance was craited and Dr. Pitt treated the man. He was later taken home and his family physician, Dr. Brock, called in.

Manager McKee Offers a Chance

for the Children to See Pantomime.

and the management was at its wit's ends to know what to do so as to let

the hundreds of little ones see the pretty

spectacle until some wiseacre suggested

a special matinee this afternoon, a plan

that met with instant favor from the

Hanlons and Manager McKee. So there

will be an extra performance at the Bijou

this afternoon and at regular prices, South as the natal day of the famous Confederate leader, General Robert E.

Stars and Stripes Forever.

HOLIDAY MATINEE

## NEWS GATHERED FROM SOUTHSIDE

Mrs. Crooks, Aged Lady of Manchester, Died Last Night.

### ASSEMBLY CALLED TO MEET

Annexation Committee Will Be Asked to Make a Detailed Report.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch, No. 1102 Hull Street.

Mrs. Crooks, mother of Chief W. B. Crooks, of the Manchester Fire Department, ding last night shortly after 9 | o'clock at her home, Tenth and Stockton Streets, as a result of a paralytic stroke she suffered a few days ago. The dewas seventy-eight years of age. ind one of the best known and most lovable characters in the city. She had been an influential church member until her health became so bad that she could not attend regularly.

All of her children, with the exception son, who, when last heard from, hen death came. The end had expected for several days, and yesterday afternoon it was seen that the aged lady could not recover. Three laughters and three sons survive her. The funeral arrangements will be an-

#### Hold Special Meeting.

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President John S. Wakefield, of the City Assembly, has called a special meeting of that body to be held in the Council chamber to-morrow night. The object of the meeting is to concur in the resolution of the Board of Aldermen, instructing the special annexation committee to make a detailed report of its doings in Richmond. This, according to the resolution offered by Mr. Hooker and passed by the Board, will have to be done before the Council will authorize the city attorney of Manchester to confer with the city attorney of Richmond in drafting a general annexation act to be presented to the present General Assembly.

But there will be some complications, no matter how the lower municipal body acts upon the Hooker resolution. As published in The Times-Dispatch of Wednesday morning, Mř. Hooker did offer this resolution, calling upon the special committee to make a detailed report, and saying that the Council would never authorize any act of the Legislature until this report had been submitted; but the Board almost in the same breath passed a resolution that came from the Assembly, instructing the city attorney of Manchester to act with the city attorney of Richmond in preparing an annexation bill. Looking at the case at this date, it appears that if the Assembly concurs in the action of the Board in demanding Richmond in preparing an annexumous bill. Looking at the case at this date, it appears that if the Assembly concurs in the action of the Board in demanding a detailed report from the committee before any instructions regarding the proposed act are given the city attorney, it will be a question which resolution to follow. One contradicts the other very plainly—the Assembly voted to send the city attorney over and the Board concurred—the Board voted to wait until the committee reported, and the Assembly is asked to concur.

But the meeting Saturday night will be one that is expected to anord enough

one that is expected to afford enough interest to the assemblymen and the citizens, who will watch the actions of the

#### Sent to Reformatory. ,

James Carr, the negro who some weeks ago broke into Lee Latham's saloon and stole \$24 from the cash drawer, plead guilty in the Corporation Court yesterday and was sentenced to five years in the negro reformatory. Judge Clopton dismissed the jury and ordered the negro sent to the reformatory on account of his youth.

At the time of the tobbery the negro was employed as po, or around the sa-

At the time of the robbery the negro was employed as po, er around the saloon, and one night he opened the window and entered and stoel the money from the cash drawer. He hid the money in the cash drawer. He hid the money in the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and there it to the carriage in the stable, and the carriage in the stable, and the carriage in the stable, and the stable, and the salound the salou and entered and atom the the cash drawer. He hid the money in the carriage in the stable, and there it was found by Offier Mike Moore, who made him confess,

grans, will have a supper in their hall to-night. Addresses will be made by several prominent Confederate veterans of the State. Judge William L Clopton preside at the meeting. e infant child of Mr. and Mrs. E. H.

Wells is reported as being quite ill.

Mr. Louis Bishop, who lives at Thirteenth and Hull Streets, who was very painfully hurt while at work at the Rich-

# WILL LIVE HARD

Senator Sadler Leading a Movement to Save Game of the State.

#### BLOW AT CITY EPICUREANS

Toothsome Game Will Not Be Allowed to Be Shipped to Markets.

Short rations of wild turkeys, partridges, pheasants and deer for city lovers of the toothsome game are threatened in a bill offered in the Senate yesterday by Mr. Joseph P. Sadler, of Powhatan, who is leading a new and more powerful movement against the "pot-hunters," so-called, now operating in nearly every section

of the State.
Under the terms of this bill it is made unlawful for any person to kill or capture wild turkey, partridge, quall, pheasant, or grouse, for the purpose of selling the same in the county wherein it is killed, to be shipped outside thereof, or a sell or a killed, to be shipped outside thereof, or to sell or ship any such game out of such county, wherein the same is killed or captured, or to chase deer with dogs. Any person violating the provisions of the act will be subject to a fine of not exceeding ten dollars for each offense, one-half of which fine or fines will go to the informer. Any agent of any railroad or steamboat company who accepts any such game for shipment will be subject to the same fines.

Many Payor It

Many Favor It.

plece of machinery and two fingers were badly mashed.

Mr. William Lowry, of Swansbore, who is suffering from a broken ankle, received while playing with a friend, is improved somewhat.

Mr. J. S. Lanier, who has been suffering from nervous prostration for several days, is not much better. Mr. Lanier saw Mr. Robinson die in Ullman's store, and since that time he has not been well.

Mayor Maurice had several young boys before him yesterday on the charge of stealing copper wire. They were dismissed with a reprimand.

Mr. William Drumheller, well known in Manchester, is confined to his bed at his home, near Granite. Wany Favor It.

When offered in the last Legislature, a similar measure was not successful, but developments since that time have arrayed a strong line of members in favor of the bill, and Senator Sadler now anticipates the passage of his measure. The necessity for some such provision, he declares, is urgent, and is daily becoming more so. Pot-hunters are operating in every section of Virginia, and are killing off game in large quantities for shipment. off game in large quantities for shipment to city markets.

to city markets.

The busines has become a thriving one, and instances are cited by Senator Sadler of negroes and others who have abandoned all work during the hunting season and devoted their time entirely to killing deer, turkeys and other game, for which they receive good money in the markets.

ters, president of the Common Council, have notified the city clerk of the following special joint committee appointments: On Displaying the Numbers and Names of the Streets on Signs: From the Board of Aldermen-Marx Gunst, chairman; Louis Washer; from the Common Council—C. H. Wiltshire, Harry Huber, C. P. Davis. markets, "This bill," said Senator Sadler yester-"This bill," said Senator Sadler yesterday, "will cut down the rations of you city fellows. Residents of counties will, of course, be able to hunt their game, subject to the laws governing them, but the 'pot-hunters,' who are in, not for sport, but money, and who are exterminating the game, will be exterminated themselves. There can be no more shipments to city markets, if this bill is adopted. But the difference to the cittes will in reality be small, for in a very Davis.

On Amendments to the City Charter to be Presented to the Legislature: From the Common Council—G. K. Pollock, chalrman, Jno. P. Lea, T. H. Ellett, from the Board of Aldermen—W. T. Dabney, Jno. B. Minor adopted. But the difference to the cities will in reality be small, for in a very short while, if the present conditions continue, the game will be depleted and the supplies will cease anyhow. The pothunters should be outlawed. They are no better than the hawks that prey on game, and for the extermination of which many counties now appropriate money." Indications point to other efforts at this session of the Legislature to protect the game of the State. Senator Lynn, of

the game of the State. Senator Lynn, of Loudoun, yesterday introduced a bill pro-hibiting the killing of certain game in Virginia, east of the Blue Ridge Moun-tains in the years 1906 and 1907.

# Board of Aldermen—Jno. Mann, Jr., W. H. Adams. On Investigation of the Health Department. From the Common Council: Dr. E. G. Williams, chairman; Jno. J. Lynch, W. W. Morton; from the Board of Aldermen-A. Beirne Blair, B. H. Grundy. Mr. Harry A. Pollard has appointed the following sub-committee from the committee considering the question of annexing Manchester to Richmond, to co-operate with the city attorney of Richmond and city attorney of Manchester to prepare a bill to be presented to the Legislature, under which the cities of Richmond and Manchester may be annexed: E. H. Spence, M. Gunst, G. K. Pollock. The chairman of the committee from Manchester will also appoint a committee of three to co-operate with the above named committee. PRAISES JUDGE CARDWELL

Tribute Paid By Judge O. O.

Gwathmey, of King William.

Judge O. O. Gwathmey, member of the
House from King William county, placing
in nomination Judge Cardwell as a successor to himself on the Supreme bench
of the State on Tuesday, spoke in warmest praise of Judge Cardwell as follows:
"Nearly a generation ago two hoards
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or the State on Tuesday, spoke in warmest praise of Judge Cardwell as follows:

"Nearly a generation age two hoards invaded Virginia—the one friendly from the South, the other from the North; but on our overthrow, among the Southern troops, none fought more bravely, none dyed deeper a soil made sacred by their life blood than the soldlers of our sister State of North Carolina. In that army was a long, lank youth, who, though he bravely faced the foe on many battle-fields, God spared for greater usefulness.

When the war was over, like the typical "tar heel," he stuck, so much enamored was he with our State. He settled in the county of Hanover and engaged in farming; but feeling, perhaps but dimly then, that he could serve the State of his adoption better in another sphere, he left the farm and went into a law office in this city to study law. There my acquaintance with him first began. Next I found him practioning at the Hanover bar, Soon his people, appreciating the stating work was the beta the to the top the state. Next I found him practicing at the Hanover bar. Soon his people, appreciating his sterling worth, made him their representative. After a few terms, the House showed its appreciation by making him their Supeaker, and there a few years later the Legislature bonored him with our highest judicial honors. When he was first chosen there were many who feared that on account of his comparatively small practice and his long political career, he was not well fitted for his high position; but soon they found their doubts dispolled, for from the first he proved a strong and able justice. And while my recent retirement from the bench has prevented me from having proved a strong and able justice. And while my recent rectirement from the bench has prevented me from having much personal experience of the present court, I quote the language of one of the ablest lawyers of this Biate whose business before that court is perhaps the largest of any lawyer in the State, who says that he is one of the strongest of our able court, and his retirement from the bench would be a serious loss to the Commonwealth. As citizen, statesman, jurist, he has measured up to the full stature of a man, even of the man whose stature of a man, even of the man wh

none warmer beats in this Common-wealth.

Gentlemen, I never made any pretense to oratory. I regret intensely that I can lay nothing better than this poor chaplet at the feet of one I have known so long, whose sterling integrity, rugged honesty in these days of graft, strong, clear and conservative mind and warm heart, has drawn me closer and closer to him, till my admiration and love and veneration for him could scarcely be exceeded were he my own father. Mr. Speaker, I esteem it a high honor, a peculiar privilege, to nominate your distinguished father, the Hon, R. H. Cardwell, as one of the judges of our Court of Appeals. Stars and Stripes Forever.

Personals and Briefs.

District Deputy L. P. Poole, of Hestain Conclave, Independent Order of Heptasophs, installed the newly-elected officers at a meeting of the lodge last night. The condition of Mr. Ben Baber, who has been ill for several days, was somewhat better yestrday.

Mrs. D. E. Baber, of McDonough Sfreet, wife of Engineer Baber, a very popular citizen of the city, is suffering with pneumonia.

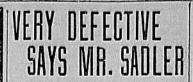
Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gilliam entertained a few of their friends at their home Wednesday night.

Joe Johnston Camp, Confederate Vetorans, will have a supper in their hall to-night. Addresses will be made by geveral prominent Confederate veterans do you manage to do it, Mr. Sousa?"

Stars and Stripes Forever.

An untold anecdote has just come to light, brought across the seas by an untold anecdote has just come to light, brought across the seas by an intertal coecasion when Sousa and his historic occasion when Sousa and his lightly occasion when Sousa and his will be true who such get and conservative milud and warm heart, has drawn me closer and closer to him, till my admiration and love and veneration for him could scarcely be exceeded were he my own father. Mr. Speaker, I esteem it a high honor, a peculiar relation of the city, is suffering the showed a surprising knowledge of the skewalk, and consengr spertodre. An untold anecdote has just come to light, brought across the seas by an integrity, rugged honesty in these days of graft, strong, clear and conservative milud and warm heart, has drawn me closer and closer to the historic occasion when Sousa and his light, brought across the seas by an integrity, rugged honesty in these days of graft, strong, clear and conservative milud and warm heart, has drawn me closer and closer to the historic occasion when Sousa and his sufficient who was prosent on the historic occasion when Sousa and his sufficient who was prosent on the historic occasion when Sousa and his sufficient who was prosent on the historic occasion when Sousa and his suffi

Mr. F. X. Kaufman, of No. 507 Federal Street, was called from the bedside of his mother, in New Jersey, this week, to be with his wife, who is critically Ill. Immediately upon arriving home he was



Senator From Powhatan Will Push Bill for State Accounting Reform.

NEW ORDER TO COUNTIES

Library Offices Not Alone to Be Included in General Scheme to Be Evolved.

Thoroughgoing plans for a reformation of the Virginia financial system, revolutionizing the methods now in vogue from the small local transaction of the clerk in the distant county to the movement of millions through the State officers at the seat of government, will be proposed during the session of the present General Assembly and urged by prominent members, who do not hesitate to denounce present conditions in the strongest terms. The first step in the movement was taken when Senator Camm Patteson, of Buckingham, introduced a resolution calling upon the Committee for Courts of Justice to make an investigation and report a comprehensive reform bill, and the second step came yesterday in a measure proposed by Senator Sadler, of Powhatan, providing for the appointment of a permanent auditing committee, in accordance with the terms of the State Constitution. Both Senator Patteson and Senator Sadler are determined to press the matter, and the nature of the discussion among the great body of the legislators indicates clearly that there will be "something doing." In addition to this, Senator Sadler is now preparing a general bill, which he will hold in readiness for presentation if at any time there appears danger that the Patteson resolution will die in committee.

Says System is Rotten. calling upon the Committee for Courts of

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"The system is rotten from the bottom up," said the Powhatan member, yesterday, in very plain language. "There must be a change and a very thorough change at that. The reformation must affect not only the affairs at the seat of government, but every county and eity treasury that receives State taxes. The plan must be inclusive, must cover the financial system of Virginia in small as well as great matters, and must be medeled after the most modern and perfect systems now in use in this country.

"There is no telling how much money the State has lost and is still losing as a result of the slipshod methods now in vogue here. I could recite many instances to emphasize this. Why, I am informed by the auditor that the new requirement compelling justices of the peace to furnish receipts for fines imposed and paid and to enter the amounts on stubs in the receipt book, has of itself added \$29,000 to the revenues of the State. There should be a similar system of checking up from the auditor's office itself down to the county clerks. The bill I am preparing will propose such a system and with the Auditing Committee provided for in this separate bill I have just offered will, I think, effect the change desired.

"With reference to the State Treasury Department, the bill will propose a plan carrying out the suggestions made by Governor Montague in his message. I have consulted with Auditor Marrye and so far from being opposed to a change he is heartly in favor of anything that will improve the present conditions. I shall hold this bill back for awnile until I see what the Courts Committee will do with the Patteson resolution."

Auditing Committee.

Discussions on both sides of the House

Auditing Committee. Discussions on both sides of the House among members of the General Assem-

will not be allowed to be obscured. Sena-tors and delegates alike express their be-lief in the necessity for a change, and with this sentiment existent and grow-ing, there can be little doubt that action

of some sort will be taken.

Under Section & of the Constitution of Virginia, the General Assembly is roquired at each regular session to appoint a standing committee consisting of two members of the Senate, and three members of the House of Delegates, which shall be known as the Auditor.

peint a standing committee consisting of two members of the Senate, and three members of the House of Delegates, which shall be known as the Auditing Committee. Strange enough the General Assembly has heretofore completely overlooked this requirement. It was in line with this constitutional provision that Senator Sales offered his bill. The bill reads in part as follows:

At each regular session of the General Assembly the president of the Senate shall appoint two members of the Senate shall appoint two members of the Senate shall appoint three members of the House of Delegates, who together shall constitute an Auditing Committee, whose duty it shall be committee, whose duty it shall be discretion the body, or oftener in sit discretion the lowly, or oftener in sit discretion the theory, or oftener in the First Auditor, the Sate Treasurer, the Secretary of the Corasurer, the Secretary of the Corasurer, the Secretary of the Corasurer, the Secretary of the State revenue, and to report the results of its investigations to the Governor, and to cause the same to be published in two newspapers of general circulation in the State.

The committee may sit during the rocess of the General Assembly, and may adjourn from time to time until its work is completed. Each member of the committee may sit during the rocess of the General Assembly receive, exception that the search assembly receives, exception of the committee, Members shall be allowed the same mileage soing to and from meetings of the committee as is now allowed members of the General Assembly, The committee shall have power to employ one or more expert accountants to assist in its investigations.

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The sum of five thousand (5,000)
dollars, or as much thereof as may be
necessary, is hereby appropriated out
of the funds of the State not otherwise
appropriated, to pay the expenses of
the aforesaid Auditing Committee.

An emergency existing, in that this
committee shall be appointed during
the present session of the General Assembly, therefore, this not shall take
effect from its passage.

Mr. John W. Starke Chosen. Mr. John W. Starke has been elected president of Richmond Union, No. 112, I, P. P. and A, U. He was for a number of years vice-president, and is acquainted with all of the members of his craft in the city.

#### Treisaachi-Vardini.

Mr. Vittoria Treisaachi and Miss Fren-esca Vardini were married at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in St. Peter's Cathecesca variant were married at 8 o'clock yesterday morning in St. Feter's Cathe-dral, the Rev. Father Magri performing the ceremony. Miss Bortha Wilson was maid of honor and Mr. Antonio Rocchie-cioli was best man. After the wedding breakfast the young couple left for a Northern trip. Northern trip.

Stabbed Him, Then Helped Him, George Fauntieroy, a nerro well known to the police, was stabbed about noon yesterday by Lena Roy, once the "flame" of Fauntieroy. After stabbling the man the woman assisted him to a drug store, where he was treated. Dr. Pitt, of the ambulance, was called and sewed up the wound and stoned the flame. lance, was called and sewed up the wound and stopped the flow of blood.



Familiarity with prosperity breeds contempt for prudence, but the profilgate always pays the price of his folly, Save while you may. No man

knows what day adversity will look in Our bank is the safest place for savings. 3 per cent. interest. Nations

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Damage of Early Morning Blaze In the Main Covered By Insurance.

insurance \$10,000 in excess of that sum. The Waddey Company's various departments not reached by the fire will not suffer a moment's interruption, and the damaged plant will be speedily restored. The work of the fire department was admirable.

## LIABILITY OF CHURCH MEMBER FOR ITS DEBTS

It would certainly surprise several millions of people if it were decided that membership in a church made a person individually liable for the debts of the In the Main Covered By
Insurance.

PRAISE HOTEL MANAGEMENT

Comfort and Safety of Lexington for the state of the organization, and it will educate on the first will be force the courts. Yet in reality there is a considerable body of legal or the plant of the Richmond Type and Electrotype Foundry early yestedy morning, and, quckly spreading, greatly damaged the printing established of the Eleverett Waddey Company, also entailing a slight loss to the Lexington Hotel, and the substitution of the Richmond Type and Electrotype Foundry were the greatest sufferers. Their plant was totally destroyed. It is estimated that the loss of building and matching the strong of the Richmond Type and Electrotype Foundry were the greatest sufferers. Their plant was totally destroyed. It is estimated that the loss of building and matching the strong of the Richmond Type and Company.

A. Pleasants—

Owners of the Richmond Type and Electrotype Foundry were the greatest sufferers. Their plant was totally destroyed. It is estimated that the loss of building and matching the strong of the strong of the recommendation of the strong of the recommendation of the strong of the stro

# do you manage to do it, Mr. Sousa?" "Ah, Your Majesty," answered the com-

poser-conductor quietly, "It is an American band, you see."
Sousa and his famous band come to the Academy on Monday night. The sale of seats begins this morning at the box office.

Anneced in New Jersey, this week, to with his wife, who is critically ill. Immediately upon arriving home he was notified by telegram that his mother had died while he was en route to Richmond. His wife is now very ill and may not recover.

is rich in quality and flavor, made smooth and mellow by age. Corn key Whiskey After you've ever had simply con't up the opened bottless him best corn whiskey for the money you've ever had simply con't up the opened bottless him back form, corness collect, and I will immediately refund your menty. I refer to the Bank of Richmond, and to the Planters National Bank of Richmond, and to the Planters National Bank of this city as to my reliability. Write for free booklet giving valuable information on the whiskey question. PHIL. G. KELLY, RICHMOND, VA. HON. R. G. SOUTHALL ILL OF PNEUMONIA

Popular Fourth District Congressman Sick at Westmoreland Club.

Congressman Robert G. Southall,

Congressman Robert G. Southall, of Amelia, representative from the Tenth District, is ill of pneumonia at the Westmoreland Club, and is under the care of Dr. Edward McGuire.

Mr. Southall arrived in the city from Washington Wednesday night, and was feeling so unwell that he at once took his bed. He grew worse yesterday and Dr. McGuire pronounced his trouble pneumonia and at once placed him under the care of a trained nurse. His condition was not at all improved last night, and his friends were distressed to learn of his illness.

Mr. Southall is a man of robust constitution, however, and is in condition to withstand a good deal of sickness. In some manner the Congressman contracted a severe cold, and it suddenly developed into pneumonia, though his physician is hopeful that the attack will not prove a severe one. He is receiving every possible attention, both in the line of nursing and of medical treatment.

Taffy Pulling As a Surprise

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The young ladies of the Amorteen Circle Fave a "Taffy Pulling" party Wednesday night at the residence of one of its members, Miss Rosa Slewers, as a surprise to the young men. The circle assembled at \$2.30 o'clock, and each gentleman was presented with a baker's cap and apron to correspond with the young ladies' that he escorted. It was a beautiful sight to see the young ladies in white with their white baker's caps and aprons, and the young hadies in white with their white caps and aprons.

From \$3.90 until 10 dancing was indulged in, and then refreshments were served. Fach gentleman then escored his lady friend into the dining-room, where the "Taffy Pulling" took place. It was midnight before the crowd dispersed, and each sentleman was allowed to keep his cap and apron as a souvenir.

Among those present were Misses Rosa

night before the crowd dispersod, and each gentleman was allowed to keep his cap and apron as a souvoult.

Among those present were Misses Rosa Siewers, Estelle Huicher, Marie Stumpt, Annie Huicher, Rosa Bahen, Lizzie Heiker, Elenora Gerring, Virgie Stumpt, Rosa Grasberger, Messrs, John Wittkamp, Ernest Huicher, Joe Overman, Junius Huicher, John Siewers, Joe Armhein, Edward Stumpt, Lee Ackerman, George Huicher.

The young men just before Christmas gave the young ladies an oyster supper, and so to return the compliment they had the "Taffy Pulling" as a surprise wednesday night.

## HARRY TUCKER WILL RUN FOR GOVERNOR

Popular Ex-Congressman So Writes to a Friend Here, From Berlin.

A member of the Legislature, who is a close friend of former Congressman Harry "t. George Tucker, has received a letter from the latter, who is now abroad in the interest of the Jamestown Exposition, practically announcing his candidacty for the Democratic nomination for Governor in 1969.

The letter is dated Berlin, December 7, 1966, and states that the writer has fully determined to enter this race for the honor, though he does no expanint the friends with the proper time.

A control of the con foreign capitals.

While it has long been thought that Mr. Tucker would be in the fight for Governor next time, his recent letter definitely and finally fixe his purpose, and makes it public so that his friends may know what he expects to do. The race promises to be a vory lively one, with Messrs, Tucker, Glass, Willard and Mann probably the contestants.

One Charter Granted. The State Corporation Commission has granted a charter to the Old Dominton and Western Lumber Corporation, Richmond. J. Bernard, president and treasurer; J. L. Tallaforto, vice-president and secretary, Richmond, Capital, 25,000. To conduct a lumber business in all its branches.

A GOOD THING. When It Comes Along Don't Let It Get Away from You.

"I really feel that it is hardly possible to say too much in favor of Grape-Nuts as a health food," writes a Chicago woman.

"For nine or ten years I had suffered

"For nine or ten years I had suffered from indigestion and chronic constipation, caused by the continued use of coffee and rich, heavy, greasy foods. My allments made my life so wretched that I was eager to try anything that held out a promise of help, And that is how I happened to buy a package of Grape-Nuts food last spring.

"That ended my experiments. For in Grape-Nuts I found exactly what I wanted and needed. From the day I began to use it I noticed an improvement, and in a very few weeks I found my health completely restored. My digestive apparatus now works perfectly, and

tive apparatus now works perfectly, and my chronic constipation has been entirely relieved. I have gained in weight materially, and life is a very pleasant thing to me so long as I use Grupe-Nuts once or twice a day. I have found by experiment that if I leave it off for a few days my health suffers. my health suffers.
"A physician in our town has great suc-

cess in treating stomach troubles, and the secret of it is that he compels his patients to use Grape-Nuts food—it al-ways brings back the power of disestion." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich

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